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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2008, the period for response being extended for three months, from November 27, 2008 to February 27, 2009, based on the filing herewith of a Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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